

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF MR. FOSTER SAYS ALLEN CURSED WITNESS

GENERAL BATTLE DOWN IN MEXICO

Between Federal and Rebel
Forces is Soon to Be
Fought.

FEDERALS REPULSE

Advance Guard of the Rebel
General Before the Bat-
tle Begins.

EL PASO, Tex., May 10.—The
Mexican federal army has repulsed
the rebel advance guard of General
Orozco and sharp skirmishes are
now in progress preliminary to a
general engagement.

Nearly 15,000 men will engage in it
and the rebel objective point is the
Torreon railroad, the gateway to
northern Mexico.

CONTEST

Of Taft Delegates' Rights is
Now Planned by Roose-
velt Followers.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Failure
of the Taft delegates in California
to sign preference and delegate
pledges promises a complex situation.
Roosevelt supporters already have
planned to contest the delegates
should they be elected. Both sides
are agreed that Taft delegates had
a legal right to omit signing the
pledges since both pledges under the
law are optional. Roosevelt leaders
declare the purpose of the action
was to save straggling votes for Taft
in the event Roosevelt carried a ma-
jority of the districts. Had they
signed the pledges they would have
been obliged to vote for Roosevelt
as the pledges bind them to support
the candidate who shall receive the
largest number of votes in the state.

DIES IN PARIS

Wife of Parkersburg Assist-
ant Postmaster Dies in
French Capital.

PARKERSBURG, May 10.—Mrs.
Cora C. Hersh, wife of Assistant
Postmaster Henry F. Hersh, and
one of the leading women of this
city, died yesterday in Paris, France,
according to a telegram received by
Mr. Hersh from his daughter, Mrs.
Hersh had been in Paris nearly a
year with her daughter, who is
studying music and art there. The
cause of her death has not been
learned. Mrs. Hersh was 51 years
of age, and was a native of Marl-
etta, O. Her body will be brought
to this city for burial.

Mrs. Hersh is survived by her
husband and two children, Miss
Charlotte Hersh, who was with
her when the end came, and At-
torney Douglas Hersh, of this city.

BIG DEAL

In Real Estate in City of
Fairmont is Con-
summated.

FAIRMONT, May 10.—The largest
real estate deal made in this city in
years has been consummated. The
Fairmont Building and Investment
Company has purchased the out-
standing stock of the Fairmont Real
Estate Company, consisting of 500
shares. By this transaction the
Fairmont Building and Investment
Company became the owners of three
hundred lots.

LINN FOR JUDGE.

Local friends of R. G. Linn, a
prominent attorney of Charleston,
and member of a well known family
that formerly resided in Clarksburg,
are pleased to learn that he has an-
nounced himself as a candidate for
Judge of the tenth judicial circuit,
composed of Clay and Kanawha
counties, on the Democratic ticket.

JACKSON BAGS THREE RUNS IN ONE GAME



Joe Jackson, of Cleveland Naps, is playing in his old form this season. In a recent game with the St. Louis Browns, Jackson scored three of the Naps' eight runs.

KILLS WIFE

With a Poker and Then
Wealthy Farmer Cuts
Throat.

BEAVER, Pa., May 10.—Fred At-
tell, a wealthy farmer, today killed
his wife with a poker, threw her body
in a creek and cut his throat. He is
expected to recover.

YOUNG WEST VIRGINIAN PASSES FOR ANNAPOLIS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—
T. D. Carr, of West Virginia, was
among the young men who passed
the April examinations for admis-
sion as midshipman to the United
States naval Academy at Annapolis.
A number of the appointees from
West Virginia did not take the April
examinations, preferring to take
the one next June.

REVOLVER BATTLE AT STRIKE SCENE

Results in Fatal Wounds for
One Man and Others
Are Injured.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 10.—One
man was fatally wounded and three
seriously hurt in a revolver battle
precipitated by 100 miners at
Barnald, Ill., today, when a disagree-
ment arose as to whether men em-
ployed by the Superior Coal Com-
pany should return to work.

PROHIBITION ASSOCIATION.

SHINNISTON, May 10.—There will
be a meeting in the old Methodist
church building next Monday even-
ing at 8 o'clock for the purpose of
organizing a Prohibition Amendment
Association for Clay district. Every-
one who is interested in this im-
portant cause are earnestly request-
ed to go and assist in the organiza-
tion.

BROUGHT TO LOCAL JAIL.

T. C. Clark, convicted Thursday in
federal district court in Wheeling of
bootlegging whiskey in this city, has
been brought to the county jail by
E. D. Hupp, marshal, to serve out
a sentence for thirty days, which was
imposed by Judge Dayton.

But He Heard Nothing of
Gang's Conspiracy to
Kill the Court.

HE DEFENDED ALLEN

At the Trial Which Resulted
in Shooting Up the
Court.

WYTHEVILLE, Va., May 10.—
Walter Tipton, an attorney who de-
fended Floyd Allen at the Hillsville
trial and brother-in-law of Attorney
Foster who was killed in the Carroll
county court tragedy, testified in the
Allen trial today that he heard nothing
to indicate that the Allens had
conspired to shoot up the court.

He admitted on cross examination
that Allen had cursed one of the
witnesses who testified against him
and that Judge Massie had reprimanded
Allen for intimidating witnesses.

ENGINE MAN

On the Titanic Testifies Be-
fore the British Board
of Trade.

LONDON, May 10.—Fred Scott,
who was on duty in the turbine en-
gine room of the Titanic the night
of the disaster, today testified before
the British board of trade that he
opened water tight compartments
from the engine room so the engi-
neers could get at the pumps, cor-
roborating the testimony of Thomas
Dillon, of the engineer's staff.

GRAND SECRETARY

Of Masonic Lodge in West
Virginia is Dead at
Point Pleasant.

Judge Charles W. Lynch has re-
ceived a telegram from Point Pleas-
ant stating that Hiram R. Howard,
grand secretary of the West Virginia
Grand Lodge of Masons, is dead at
his home there after an illness of a
complication of diseases.

Mr. Howard was widely known in
the state and his death will cause
general sorrow. He visited Clarks-
burg and participated in the laying
of the corner stone for the new Ma-
sonic temple on West Pike street.
Mr. Howard had been grand secre-
tary of the Masons since 106. His
funeral will take place at 2 o'clock
Saturday afternoon at his home at
Point Pleasant.

CIRCUS AT SALEM.

The citizens of Salem will be
afforded the opportunity of witness-
ing the great Sun Brothers' shows
Wednesday, May 2.

MERCHANTS

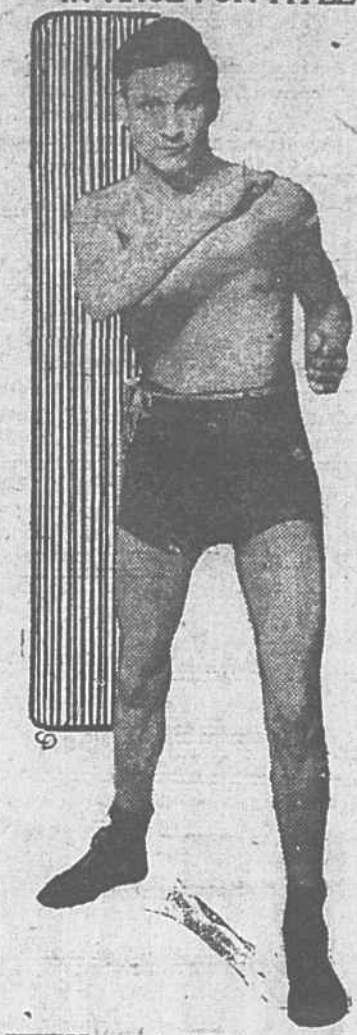
Will Hold Their Annual State
Convention in City of
Wheeling.

WHEELING, May 10.—Letters
were mailed yesterday from the local
headquarters of the Retail Business
Men's Association of West Virginia
calling attention to the annual state
convention which is to be held in
this city commencing August 13 and
lasting for several days following.
Secretary William Schwertfeger,
of the state association, is sending out
letters urging the immediate election
of delegates by the various city as-
sociations throughout the state.

A campaign for membership is to
precede the annual meeting in an at-
tempt to double the size of the as-
sociation before the convention and to
put the merchants in a position to as-
sume their proper importance before
the semi-centennial year.

A number of important matters are
scheduled to come up before the an-
nual convention, chief among which
is the work of outlining the program
for legislation. The business men are
preparing to submit a number of im-
portant changes in the state laws to
the next session of the legislature.

WHITE IS POPULAR IN RACE FOR TITLE



Charley White, a contender for the belt in the featherweight class, is shown in a boxing stance.

RULE

Is Issued by the Circuit Court
Against Charles
Hass.

A rule was issued Friday in the
circuit court against Charles Hass
in the suit of Elizabeth Hass against
him on the alleged ground that he
had violated an injunction in the
case. The rule commands him to
appear in court June 6 to show cause
why he should not be dealt with as
in contempt of court.

Submission of the case was asked
in the suit of the Southern Oil Com-
pany against James M. Garrett et al.
Demurrers were filed in the suits
of the estate for the use of the
boards education of Union, Sardis
and Tenmile district against John M.
Flanigan and others.

The answer of Albert P. Sauborne
was filed in the suit of the Clarks-
burg Lumber and Planing Mill Com-
pany against Mary Blitony et al.

An order of reference was made
in the cause of James L. Madden et
al against the Riverview Develop-
ment Company et al.

Sale was decreed in the cause of
Pierce Sidebottom, administrator,
against Lee A. Beach et al.

Sale was confirmed in the cause
of Laco L. Young, administrator of
Sarah A. Young, against Houston G.
Young et al.

TAFT NEEDS 57

President is Within Grasp
of Necessary Number to
Assure Renomination.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—
Director McKinley, of the Taft na-
tional bureau, last night issued the
following statement of delegates to
date for the various candidates:

Taft, 483; Roosevelt, 261; Cum-
mins, 10; LaFollette, 36.

These include West Virginia and
Maryland.

There are yet 320 delegates to be
selected. According to the McKin-
ley version Taft needs but 57 to win
the nomination hands down.

BIDS REJECTED.

PARKERSBURG, May 10.—Six
bids, all from Cincinnati firms, for
the one hundred thousand dollar is-
sue of four per cent water works
bonds, voted here recently, were re-
jected by the board of commissioners
yesterday afternoon. All were re-
jected and the bonds will be re-ad-
vertised.

DR. HATFIELD TELLS WHAT HE WILL DO IF HE IS ELECTED FOR GOVERNOR

In Addressing Large and En-
thusiastic Audience at
Wellsburg.

PLATFORM PROMISES

He Declares With Emphasis
That He Will Keep and
Carry Out to Letter.

Dr. D. H. Hatfield, candidate for
the Republican nomination for gov-
ernor, while in the upper panhandle
of the state this week, addressed a
large assemblage at Wellsburg. Dr.
Hatfield said in part:

"I am glad to be with you tonight.
This is my first visit to Brooke and
I have been delighted with my recep-
tion here. I shall feel amply repaid
for my visit no matter whether you
shall select me as your candidate or
not.

"My personal ambitions have not
been along a public line but I have
served the Republican party in any
way I could. Upon assurance given
me of my election I consented to
serve as a member of our county
court. I said, if elected, I would
serve the people as a whole and not
as a part. When I was through, al-
though we had our difficulties, I had
the confidence of the business peo-
ple of my county.

"In 1908 I was put on the ticket
for the state senate against my will
and over my protest, as I was active-
ly engaged in the practice of my pro-
fession as I am now. I was elected
over my opponent by an overwhelm-
ing majority. During my term I
was called to vote upon several mat-
ters that did not meet my approval
fully, but I deferred my personal de-
sires to the will of my constituents.

"If you elect me as your standard
bearer, I will serve you as a whole
party and not as a part or a faction.
I am not connected with any faction.
Factional strife and discord has
torn us into disunion in West Vir-
ginia. I am a Republican in the
middle of the road and neither rep-
resent nor am connected with any
faction. I will serve the people of
West Virginia to the best of my
ability and judgment.

"I have come out squarely in the
newspapers of the state as to what I
shall stand for and advocate if
elected governor. I believe this is
the duty of every candidate. If af-
ter you have read my platform and
have studied the matter over care-
fully, you decide upon someone else,
I will accept that as a fair de-
cision."

The speaker referred to his ex-
perience in the senate and the diffi-
culties encountered and urged upon
his hearers the necessity of securing
for the party a majority in the po-
pular branch of the state legislature.
"Select men who are Republicans
first with personal ambitions, last."

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HOO HOO OF STATE TO HOLD MEETING

And Banquet at the Waldo
Hotel and Take in Class
of "Kittens."

FATAL

Are Toadstools to One Man
and Other Eaters Are
Now Ill.

CHARLESTON, May 10.—One
man is dead, another at the point of
death and a third seriously ill, as a
result of eating what they thought
were mushrooms. Lewis W. Couch,
a member of a prominent family,
died this afternoon. P. A. Donovan,
dealer in electric and gas supplies,
was last night at the point of death,
and a Greek restauranter whom
Couch and Donovan had asked to
prepare the mushrooms as they
wanted them prepared and who
also ate some of them is in a seri-
ous condition.

Couch gathered what he thought
were mushrooms but instead he
gathered some toadstools and the
men are believed to have been
poisoned by them. The mushrooms
were served with meat and eaten
Tuesday night.

Couch is survived by three chil-
dren his wife having died several
years ago. The announcement of
Donovan's wedding has been out for
some time and is set for May 25.

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MINERS' MOB HAS WOMEN AND BOYS

RESIGNS AS DEAN TO-
TAKE BIGGER TASK



Inis H. Weed, dean of women at the University of Washington, is shown in a profile view.

MR. HARDMAN

Candidate for State Senator
From this District Vis-
its the City.

William E. Hardman was here Fri-
day from Weston. Mr. Hardman is a
candidate for the Republican nomi-
nation for state senator from this
district. He announced himself to
the executive committee several days
ago but he was called to New York
on business and did not have op-
portunity to place his announcement
in the newspapers until after his re-
turn this week. His announce-
ment appears in the Telegram today.

Mr. Hardman is a locomotive en-
gineer in the employ of the Balti-
more and Ohio Railroad Company at
Weston but in addition he owns and
operates a farm near Jane Lew in
the Hacker's creek section. His
time is divided between railroading
and up-to-date farming. More de-
tailed mention of him and his candi-
dacy will appear in the Telegram in
a few days.

When It Attacks Men Going
to Mine to Do Repair
Work.

RESORT TO CLUBBING

Policemen Some of Whom are
Severely Beaten by
Mob Members.

SORANTON, Pa., May 10.—A mob
of foreign miners, women and boys
today attacked men going to work on
necessary repairs at the Cayuga
mine of the Lackawanna Company
near here. Local police endeavored
to disperse the mob but were driven
back and some were severely beaten.
State troops galloped to their aid
and many shots were fired. A num-
ber of persons are reported wounded.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 10.—Three
thousand foreigners today attended
the funeral of Holo Washkevitch,
killed in Wednesday's riots. No
mention was made at the funeral as
to the manner in which he met his
death. American residents were
kept off the streets during the ser-
vice.

MORAN'S

Home Run Wins Game for
Wheeling Against the
Canton Team.

Emmitt Moran, the local boy who
is playing with Wheeling the present
season, and who has been in the
game the last week on account of the
illness of Servatious, the regular
first sacker, has certainly been fill-
ing the big boy's place to perfection,
as he has got a hit in every game he
has been in and in one game he got
three hits.

The principal thing about his hit-
ting is the fact that every time a hit
is needed he delivers the goods. In
the last three games he got one hit
each and every time it drove in a run
or two. His home run in the second
inning of yesterday's game won the
game for Wheeling as it scored Gray,
who was on the bases before him. In
the remainder of the game the
"Smokes" were able to score only
one run, and if it had not been for
"Henle" they would have lost another.

The fact that all of the Wheeling
sport writers favor Duke Servatious,
will make it hard for "Henle" to
hold the place this season, but the
majority of the local people who have
seen him play think he deserves the
position.

THIRTY DAYS

In the County Jail Here Clark
Gets from Judge
Dayton.

WHEELING, May 10.—Several
bootlegging cases have been tried
in federal court here. Henry Mat-
thews, pleaded guilty, and was fined
\$100 and costs and sentenced to
thirty days in the Berkeley county
jail. Eda Savels pleaded guilty to
bootlegging and was fined \$100 and
costs and sentenced to thirty days in
the Berkeley county jail. George
Bail also pleaded guilty to the illegal
sale of liquor, and was given the
same. John Reiofish was fined \$100
and costs and sentenced to 30 days
in the Berkeley county jail as was
Dominick Matthews. T. C. Clark
was sentenced to thirty days in the
Harrison county jail and fined \$100
and costs for the same offense.

PATENTS GRANTED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—
Patents have been granted as fol-
lows:
J. P. Bellamy, Wheeling, cover
for hermetically closing jars or
vessels.
C. Coleman, Reedy, gate.
R. W. Macknac, Moorefield,
swing.